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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 28, 2006, please consider the following remarks:

REMARKS

The undersigned thanks the Examiner for the telephone interview graciously granted on August 9, 2006. Pursuant to the telephone interview, Examiner Alton Pryor agreed to withdraw this additional election requirement, upon Applicant's traversal of the requirement in writing. Applicants acknowledge this withdrawal with appreciation.

The Examiner acknowledges Applicant's response of May 16, 2006 wherein Applicants provisionally elected, with traverse, the following species for examination: a) ammonium sulfate as the agricultural solid; b) dodecylphenoxy poly(ethylene oxide)<sub>9.5-11</sub> ethanol as the nonionic surfactant; c) propylene glycol as the glycol liquid; and methylthio- $\alpha$ -